

PLRS
**Preliminary
LOSS REPORTS**
for the week of 15-21 Dec 05

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**SOLDIERS
DIED IN
ACCIDENTS**

- 6 Soldiers injured
- 1 RQ-7B Shadow damaged

LOSSES

• A 3rd Infantry Division RQ-7B had an engine failure and the parachute deployed but it drifted into power lines on 15 December 2005 at 0758 local. The RQ-7B sustained Class B damage.
COST: 1 RQ-7B Shadow with class B damage (between \$200,000 to \$1 million)

• Two 21st Theater Support Command Soldier were injured in a POV accident on 17 December 2005 at 0859 local near Darmstadt, Germany. The driver attempted to stop his vehicle behind an 18-wheel tractor trailer that was stationary due to a traffic jam. His vehicle entered a skid due to snow and sleet on the roadway. The vehicle collided with the rear of the tractor-trailer and slid beneath the trailer. One of the Soldiers died from his injuries on 21 December 2005 at 0630 local.
COST: 1 Soldier Killed 1 Soldier Severely Injured

• A Louisiana Army National Guard Soldier was killed and 3 other Soldiers were injured in a POV accident on 19 December 2005 at 1230 local in Slidell, Louisiana. While traveling along an interstate highway, a dump-truck moved into the Jeep's lane forcing the vehicle off the road. The Jeep struck an embankment and rolled over. The Soldier who died was ejected from the vehicle and was not wearing a seatbelt.
COST: 1 Soldier Killed 3 Soldiers Injured

• A 2nd Infantry Division Soldier (from Fort Carson, CO) was killed in a POV accident on 20 December 2005 at 0920 local in

Hope, Arkansas. The Soldier was the driver of a 2002 Honda Accord on a two-lane State Highway when he crossed the center line into oncoming traffic and was hit head-on by a 5-ton truck. The Soldier was pronounced dead at the scene of the accident.
COST: 1 Soldier Killed

• A 3rd Infantry Division Soldier was injured when he was hit and pinned between two HMMWVs in a parking lot in Iraq on 21 December 2005 at 1615 local.
COST: 1 Soldier Seriously Injured

• A 28th BCT Soldier was injured when she was hit by a HMMWV being ground guided at

night in a staging area in Iraq on 21 December 2005 at 1850 local.
COST: 1 Soldier with Minor Injuries

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